

# M 5.4, Near the coast of Azerbaijan

Origin Time: 2023-12-07 04:15:40 UTC (Thu 07:15:40 local)  
Location: 41.1549° N 49.7415° E Depth: 42.0 km

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Created: 1 day, 0 hours after earthquake

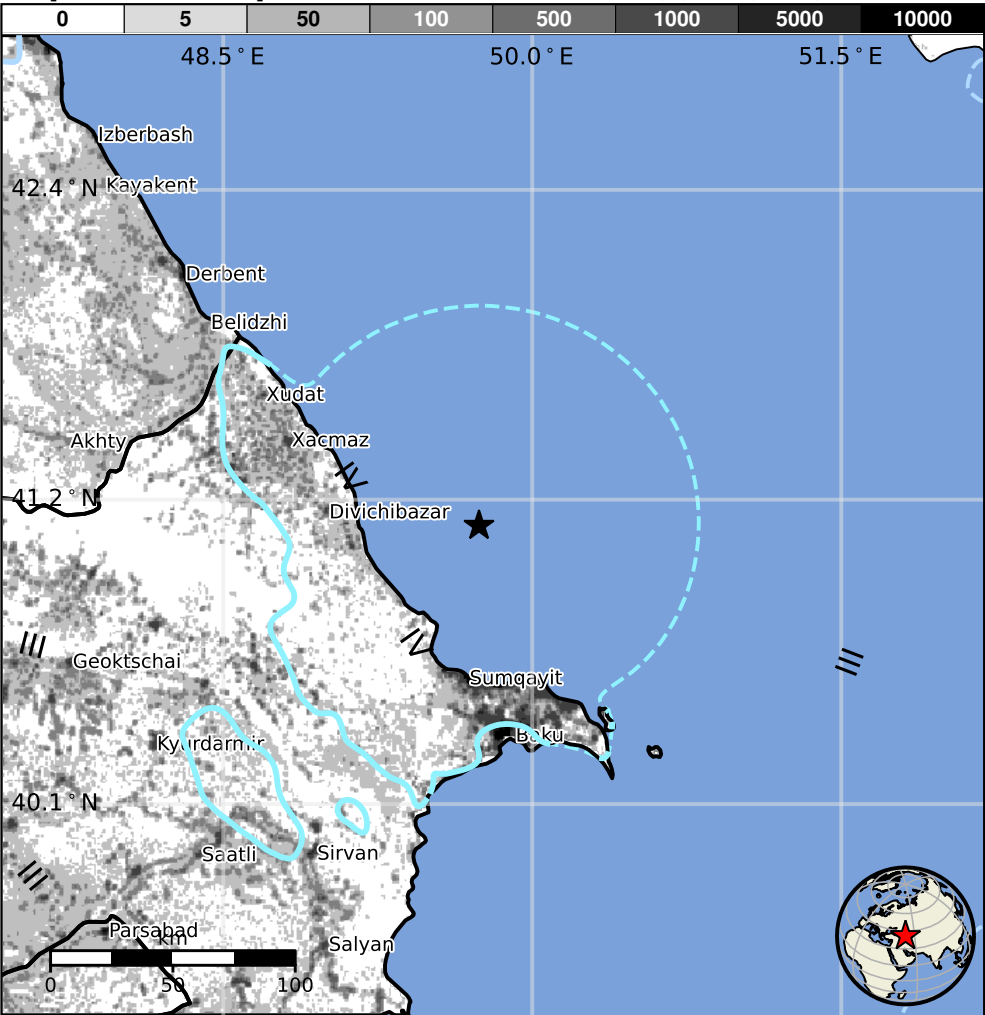


## Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k=x1000)		—*	4,444k*	2,554k	0	0	0	0	0	0
ESTIMATED MODIFIED MERCALLI INTENSITY		I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X+
PERCEIVED SHAKING		Not felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
POTENTIAL DAMAGE	Resistant Structures	None	None	None	V. Light	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy
	Vulnerable Structures	None	None	None	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy	V. Heavy

\*Estimated exposure only includes population within the map area.

## Population Exposure



## Structures

Overall, the population in this region resides in structures that are vulnerable to earthquake shaking, though resistant structures exist. The predominant vulnerable building types are adobe block and unreinforced brick with mud and timber post construction.

## Historical Earthquakes

Date (UTC)	Dist. (km)	Mag.	Max MMI(#)	Shaking Deaths
1999-02-21	330	5.3	VI(156k)	1
1998-07-09	291	5.9	VII(414k)	1
1997-02-28	370	6.1	VIII(3k)	1k

## Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI	City	Population
IV	Suraabad	2k
IV	Kilyazi	3k
IV	<b>Sumqayit</b>	<b>265k</b>
IV	Haci Zeynalabdin	19k
IV	Corat	9k
IV	Ceyranbatan	6k
IV	<b>Xacmaz</b>	<b>37k</b>
IV	Khirdalan	38k
III	<b>Saatli</b>	<b>87k</b>
III	<b>Sirvan</b>	<b>70k</b>
III	<b>Baku</b>	<b>1,117k</b>

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<https://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/eventpage/us7000lgud#pager>

bold cities appear on map.

(k = x1000)

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